Willow Creek Weir trapping summary for the 2009 season. 1/

				Chinook				Coho		Steelhead							
Julian		Trap	Grilse 2/	Adults	Comb	oined	Grilse 2/	Adults	Combined	1/2 lbers 2/	Adults	Comb	oined				
week	Inclusive dates	days	Total Ads 3/	Total Ads 3/	Total	Ads 3/	Total RMs 3/	Total RMs 3/	Total RMs 3/	Total Ads 3	Total Ads 3/	Total	Ads 3/				
34	20-Aug 26-Aug				0	0			0 0			0	0				
35	27-Aug 2-Sep				0	0			0 0			0	0				
36	3-Sep 9-Sep				0	0			0 0			0	0				
37	10-Sep 16-Sep				0	0			0 0			0	0				
38	17-Sep 23-Sep				0	0			0 0			0	0				
39	24-Sep 30-Sep				0	0			0 0			0	0				
40	1-Oct 7-Oct				0	0			0 0			0	0				
41	8-Oct 14-Oct				0	0			0 0			0	0				
42	15-Oct 21-Oct				0	0			0 0			0	0				
43	22-Oct 28-Oct				0	0			0 0			0	0				
44	29-Oct 4-Nov				0	0			0 0			0	0				
45	5-Nov 11-Nov				0	0			0 0			0	0				
46	12-Nov 18-Nov				0	0			0 0			0	0				
47	19-Nov 25-Nov				0	0			0 0			0	0				
	2009 Season Totals:	0	0 0	0 0	0	0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0	0				

2008 season comparables: 4/

# Notes:

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Julian		Trap	Grilse 2/ Adults Combin		oined	Grilse 2/ Adults		Combined		1/	1/2 lbers 2/		Adı	Adults		Combined		Brown trout						
week	Inclusive dates	days	Total	Ads 3/	Total	Ads 3/	Total	Ads 3/	Total	RMs 3/	Total	RMs 3/	Total	RMs 3/	To	otal A	Ads 3/	Total	Ads 3/	Total	Ads 3/	<42 cn	>41 cm	total
24	11-Jun 17-Jun	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	(	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
25	18-Jun 24-Jun	5	0	0	10	3	10	3	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	3	3	3	3	2	25	27
26	25-Jun 1-Jul	5	1	0	44	8	45	8	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	9	2	9	2	0	45	45
27	2-Jul 8-Jul	5	0	0	40	4	40	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	(	0	0	14	4	14	4	4	26	30
28	9-Jul 15-Jul	4	0	0	46	7	46	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	(	0	0	1	0	1	0	3	8	11
29	16-Jul 22-Jul	4	0	0	33	4	33	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	(	0	0	2	2	2	2	3	16	19
30	23-Jul 29-Jul	4	0	0	3	1	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	(	0	0	4	1	4	1	4	11	15
31	30-Jul 5-Aug	5	0	0	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	(	0	0	2	2	2	2	1	5	6
32	6-Aug 12-Aug	4	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	(	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
33	13-Aug 19-Aug	4	2	0	22	1	24	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	(	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
34	20-Aug 26-Aug						0	0					0	0						0	0			0
35	27-Aug 2-Sep						0	0					0	0						0	0			0
36	3-Sep 9-Sep						0	0					0	0						0	0			0
37	10-Sep 16-Sep						0	0					0	0						0	0			0
38	17-Sep 23-Sep						0	0					0	0						0	0			0
39	24-Sep 30-Sep						0	0					0	0						0	0			0
	2009 Season Totals:	41	3	0	201	29	204	29	0	0	0	0	0	0	(	0	0	35	14	35	14	17	138	155
2008 se	eason comparables: 4/	22	21	1	123	16	144	17	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	28	19	28	19	8	68	76

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   Trapping at Junction City Weir commenced 6/17 in 2009 and 7/16 in 2008.

Julian   Inclusive dates   Grilse 2/   Adults   Combined   Total   Ads 3/   Total   Ads 3/   Total   Ads 3/   Total   RMs 3			Chinook										Steelhead					
36	Julian		Grilse 2/ Adults			Combined			Grilse 2/ Adults				Combined			Adults		
37 10-Sep - 16-Sep 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	week	Inclusive dates	Total	Ads 3/	Total	Ads 3/	Total	Ads 3/		Total	RMs 3/	Total	RMs 3/	Total	RMs 3/		Total	Ads 3/
38 17-Sep - 23-Sep	36	3-Sep 9-Sep					0	0						0	0			
39	37	10-Sep 16-Sep					0	0						0	0			
40 1-Oct - 7-Oct	38	17-Sep 23-Sep					0	0						0	0			
## 8-Oct - 14-Oct	39	24-Sep 30-Sep					0	0						0	0			
Spring Chinook subtotal: 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	40	1-Oct 7-Oct					0	0						0	0			
15-Oct - 21-Oct	41	8-Oct 14-Oct					0	0						0	0			
43		Spring Chinook subtotal:	0	0	0	0	0	0										
44 29-Oct - 4-Nov					CI	hinook spa	wning b	reak										
45 5-Nov - 11-Nov	43						0	0						0	0			
46 12-Nov - 18-Nov							0	0						0	0			
47 19-Nov - 25-Nov	45						0	0										
48	46						0	0							0			
49   3-Dec 9-Dec   0   0   0   0   0   0   0   0   0							0	0										
50							0	0										
51 17-Dec 23-Dec																		
52  24-Dec 31-Dec							0	0							0			
1 1-Jan 7-Jan							0											
2 8-Jan 14-Jan								0										
3 15-Jan - 21-Jan							0	0										
4       22-Jan 28-Jan       0							0	0						0	0			
5       29-Jan 4-Feb       0							-											
6 5-Feb 11-Feb							-											
7 12-Feb 18-Feb   0 0 0   0 0 0   8 19-Feb 25-Feb   0 0 0 0   9 26-Feb 4-Mar   0 0 0   10 5-Mar 11-Mar   0 0 0   11 12-Mar 18-Mar  Fall Chinook subtotal: 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0																		
8 19-Feb 25-Feb															-			
9 26-Feb 4-Mar 10 5-Mar 11-Mar 11 12-Mar 18-Mar  Fall Chinook subtotal:  0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0							-	0										
10 5-Mar 11-Mar							-											
11 12-Mar 18-Mar  Fall Chinook subtotal: 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0							-											
Fall Chinook subtotal: 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0							0	0						0	0			
2009 Season Totals: 4/ 5/	11	12-Mar 18-Mar																
2008 season comparables: 6/ Spring Chinook: Fall Chinook: Total:  0 0 0 0 0 0		Fall Chinook subtotal:	0	0	0	0	0	0										
Spring Chinook: Fall Chinook: Total: 0 0 0 0 0 0	20	09 Season Totals: 4/ 5/	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0
	2008 s	Spring Chinook: Fall Chinook:																
Notes:			0	0	0	0	0	0										

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<sup>4/</sup> Totals reflect only the numbers of fish which have been processed; fish held for ripening are not included in totals shown.

<sup>5/</sup> Preliminarily, Chinook processed prior to Julian week 42 are considered spring Chinook, those after Julian week 42 are considered fall Chinook.

<sup>6/</sup> Trapping at Trinity River Hatchery began 9/10 in 2007 and 9/08 in 2008.

## Information page for enclosed trapping summaries

#### **General Information**

- 1. All data are preliminary, are subject to revision, and should be cited as such.
- 2. Trapping numbers and totals at Junction City and Willow Creek weirs are **not** total population estimates.
- 3. Fish trapped at the weirs are a sub-sample of the population. These fish are tagged for the purpose of estimating the population size using whats known as a "mark and recapture" estimator. Population estimates are formulated at the end of each run year.
- 4. Trinity River Hatchery totals are actual counts reflective of all fish which enter the facility.
- 5. Tags placed on fish trapped at the weirs are used for population estimates and angler harvest estimates.
- 6. Fishing is not allowed within 750 feet of the weirs which are marked with signs at the upstream and downstream ends of the closure.
- 7. Fin clip totals (Ad and RM) at the weirs and hatchery are used to estimate the hatchery contributions to each run. Currently, 100% of the steelhead (AD clip) and coho (RM clip) are marked at the hatchery prior to release as juveniles. Chinook salmon (AD clip) are marked at a rate of approximately 25% prior to release.
- 8. Weir installation and removal dates are variable from year to year and are affected by river flow and funding levels.
- 9. Previous year totals are not always for the same time periods and should not be used for absolute comparisons, note installation date notes for each site.
- 10. Adult and grilse(jacks) counts are based on provisional cut-off sizes. The actual composition of the run is determined post season.

# **Junction City weir**

- 1. This weir is designed to capture and estimate the population of spring Chinook salmon and is typically operated from June or early July (depending on river flow) through September. The weir is "fished" Sunday evening through Friday afternoon. The weir is not fished on weekends and afternoons to allow fish passage.
- 2. Fall Chinook, steelhead, coho and brown trout are also captured at Junction City weir. We do not attempt make population estimates for these species at Junction City weir.
- 3. Chinook salmon are tagged with a "spaghetti tag" which is pvc tubing placed behind the dorsal fin. Each tag has a number and is inscribed with our address.
- 4. Brown trout and steelhead are tagged with a "floy" tag which is inserted below the dorsal fin. Floy tags are short pieces of tubing inserted into the side of the fish and are also inscribed with our address.

### Willow Creek weir

- 1. This weir is designed to capture and estimate the population of fall Chinook salmon, coho salmon and adult fall-run steelhead and is typically operated from late August through November (flows permitting). The weir is "fished" Sunday evening through Friday afternoon. The weir is not fished on weekends and afternoons to allow for fish passgae.
- 2. The tail end of the spring chinook run is captured at Willow Creek, however we do not attempt to estimate this run of Chinook salmon above Willow Creek weir.
- 3. All fish deemed in good condition are tagged with spaghetti tags inscribed with our address at Willow Creek weir.

# **Trinity River Hatchery**

- 1. Hatchery summaries are not always posted on a weekly basis due to the large amount of data collection and entry.
- 2. All hatchery totals are complete counts of what has entered the facility.
- 3. Entry dates of fish into the hatchery may differ than recovery dates (spawn processing date and the weekly totals we report) since some fish are held for ripening.
- 4. There is a break in spawning operations, usually in October, to facilitate separation of spring and fall-run Chinook salmon.
- 5. The hatchery serves as our mian recovery point for fish tagged at the two weirs.